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EXHIBIT F

TABLE 1. PCT and Foreign Office Actions

TAB NO.	APPLICATION NO.	DOCUMENT	DATE	N&R REFERENCE NO.
1	European Application No. 03729097 (Counterpart to US 10/445,074)	Response to Rule 51(4) Notice	12/04/06	03234.0018EP1
2	European Application No. 03729097 (Counterpart to US 10/445,074)	Decision to Grant	01/25/07	03234.0018EP1
3	Eurasian Application No. 200401548 (Counterpart to US 10/445,273)	Office Action	01/12/07	03234.0016EA1
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5	European Application No. 03729096 (Counterpart to US 10/445,090)	Supplemental Search Report	02/19/07	03234.0017EP1